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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/803,625

Examiner : Dong, Dalei

Applicant : A. Gallitognotta et al.

Art Unit : 2879

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For: DISCHARGE LAMPS USING HOLLOW
CATHODES WITH INTEGRATED
GETTERS AND METHODS FOR
MANUFACTURING SAME

Docket No. : SAESP059.US02

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office action of August 22, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. No amendments are made in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.